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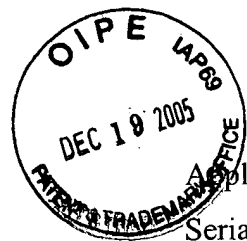
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Title: **THERMALLY STABLE OXIDIZED BIAS LAYER STRUCTURE FOR
MAGNETORESISTIVE MAGNETIC HEAD FOR A HARD DISK DRIVE**

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Sir:

Responsive to the Final Office Action mailed October 24, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.